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Mister Lincoln (see cover)

Hybrid Tea. (Swim & Weeks) *Plant Pat. 2370.* We believe this to be the finest red rose of all time. Strong, vibrant and beautiful, Mister Lincoln produces masses of deep, velvety-rich, red blooms, 6 inches wide that stand tall on the plant. . . one specimen bloom to each stem. The fragrance is outstanding, strong and very pleasing. The bud is long, full and well pointed, becoming urn-shaped as the petals begin to curl back from their high centers. The flowers are ideal for cutting—long-stemmed beauties that hold their form and color well and look especially brilliant in a bouquet even under artificial lighting. With heavy, well-branched canes that stand strong and tall, Mister Lincoln is a rose which can be used as a specimen plant standing alone or, placed in the "back row," lifts your garden to new heights of beauty. Large, glossy, dark green leaves are tailor-made to attractively clothe this tall, vigorous plant. Hardy, as well as disease-resistant, Mister Lincoln has all the attributes to make it a "once-in-a-decade" rose.

$3.50 each—3 or more, $3.10 each.

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American Heritage (left)

Hybrid Tea. (Lammerts) *Plant Pat. App. For.* Here is a distinctive new rose. American Heritage is distinguished by a continuous succession of changing color; shades of cream with light canary-yellow in the opening flower, contrasting with scarlet and vermilion at the half-open stage plus a flush of crimson on the petal edges of the mature bloom. In the bud, this rose is perfection itself—long, tapering and urn-shaped. The mature flowers, containing 50 to 60 petals, are quite large, up to 5 inches across and are full-bodied and high-centered. It is a tall vigorous plant with large, leathery, semi-glossy leaves with a striking red coloration on dark olive-green. A light Tea fragrance adds the final touch of distinction to this worthwhile "new addition" to America's gardens.

$4 each—3 or more, $3.55 each.

NEW FOR 1966

Villa de Madrid (below)

Hybrid Tea. (Pedro Dot) *Plant Pat. 2462.* The subtle, very beautiful variations of color in this rose produce a unique effect. From a crisp, deep orange-pink in the newly opened bud the petals slowly unfold to a bold barn-red with touches of scarlet at the edges. Villa de Madrid is ever changing its constantly beautiful color scheme. A tall, upright grower, Villa de Madrid produces free, continuous bloom on strong stems of good cutting length. The medium size blooms are of excellent substance, come usually one to a stem and consist of 50 to 60 petals. Emerald-green, scarab-like leaves and a rare, light musk fragrance add to the "Old World" beauty of this new rose from a famous Spanish hybridizer.

$4 each—3 or more, $3.55 each.

NEW FOR 1966

Indiana (above)

Hybrid Tea. (House of Meilland) *Plant Pat. App. For.* Indiana is one of the brightest red roses you've ever seen. It's a signal red that's sure to stop and please anyone who passes by. The bright red buds open to high-centered, fully double cup-shaped blooms of excellent form and profile. The large blooms of 35 to 40 petals are held firmly upright on strong stems of medium length. An unusually beautiful feature of Indiana is that the tremendous amounts of brilliant blooms are set so close to the compact, well-branched bush that they seem to become part of it . . . creating a rich tapestry of green and red. The foliage is heavy, large, deep green and plentiful, covering the plant in a solid mass. Indiana's fragrance is light but pleasing; a typical rose fragrance that seems just right for this fine rose named for a distinguished state.

$3.50 each—3 or more, $3.10 each.

Offer No. 5

FOUR NEW ROSES

AMERICAN HERITAGE
VILLA DE MADRID
INDIANA
MATTERHORN

$13.75

NEW AARS ALL-AMERICA AWARD WINNER FOR 1966

Matterhorn (below)

Hybrid Tea. (Armstrong & Swim) *Plant Pat. App. For.* Here is a new white Hybrid Tea of exceptional vigor. Matterhorn features ivory-white buds of near perfect form and shape on a very free-branching plant that produces an extraordinary number of long-stemmed flowers. Buds are urn-shaped, well formed, and longer than average, with petals curving out exquisitely at the top of the bud. Flowers are high-centered and, at full maturity, quite double with 30 or more petals. The plant is vigorous, tall, upright but branching with good strong canes. Matterhorn's foliage provides an excellent background for the magnificent display of ivory-white blooms, being large, glossy and bright. This rose will take its place among the best of the white roses.

$4 each—3 or more, $3.55 each.

ALL-AMERICA AWARD WINNER FOR 1965

Camelot

Grandiflora. (Swim & Weeks) *Plant Pat. 2371.* Camelot is a luminous coral-pink rose with a shimmering, iridescent, classic beauty. The large, showy buds, high-centered at first, then somewhat cupped, open to large, 5-inch fully double blooms that fill the air with a rich spicy fragrance. Appearing freely all summer long, the blooms come many times singly on the stem, but most often two or three to the stem, thus providing an abundance of bloom for cutting. Camelot is a tall, vigorous grower with very attractive large-leaved, deep green foliage.

$3.50 each—3 or more, $3.10 each.

Golden Girl

Grandiflora. (House of Meilland) *Plant Pat. 1912.* An exceptionally fine yellow rose that produces a tremendous amount of bloom all season long. Clear, solid yellow, sculptured buds open into magnificent, perfectly shaped, fully double flowers 4 to 5 inches across. It's a good, non-fading yellow that actually sparkles; lasts for days. We believe Golden Girl to be one of the best pure yellow roses for the home gardener. The bush is upright, fuller than average, vigorous and freely branched. Foliage is solid dark green and has good disease-resistance. This rose is hard to beat for color and performance.

$3 each—3 or more, $2.65 each.

Chicago Peace (below)

Hybrid Tea. (Johnston) *Plant Pat. 2037.* Chicago Peace is a true sport of the greatest of all roses, Peace. It has all the amazing qualities of Peace, plus a richer, more outstanding color. Shimmering pink, canary-yellow and occasional copper tones at the petal bases and undersides cover the huge blooms in dramatic fashion. The bud is large, solid and colorful . . . a lovely promise of the great flowers which are to come. The blooms, up to 7 inches across, come one to the stem; 50 to 60 large petals form a delightful, high-centered flower which curls gracefully outward at maturity. Very strong, medium long stems support the flowers easily. The bushy plant grows upright and produces good, heavy canes as well as large glossy leaves of a rich parsley-green. Chicago Peace has a fragrance which though light, is intensely sweet and reminiscent of the old-fashioned Tea rose. Here is a rose that will grow stronger and even more beautiful with each succeeding year.

$3 each—3 or more, $2.65 each.

Sincera (above)

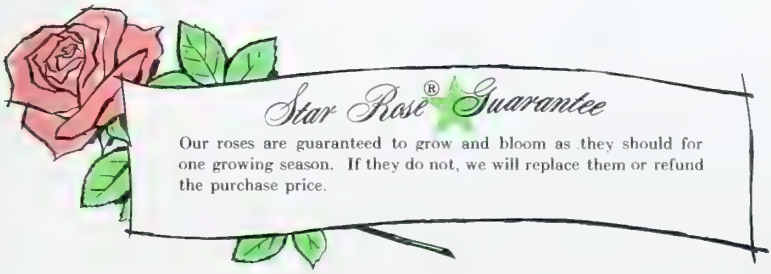
Hybrid Tea. (Camprubi) *Plant Pat. 2055.* Here is one of the finest white roses in the world today. Its blooms are large, pure white and exceptionally beautiful. Buds are medium long, solid and somewhat cup-shaped, opening into a substantial flower of 45 or more petals. The mature bloom is of excellent substance, with classic shape and form and held upright on unusually long, straight stems . . . perfect for cutting and exhibiting. The plant is quite vigorous—extremely so for a white rose—growing to middle height in fine, upright fashion and is as decorative as the splendid white blooms it bears. Foliage is medium size, light green and rugged. Sincera's outstanding blooms, fine sturdy bush, and excellent full foliage offers the gardener a full measure of satisfaction from every standpoint.

$2.75 each—3 or more, $2.40 each.

Offer No. 9

GOLDEN GIRL
CHICAGO PEACE
SINCERA

An $8.75 *Value* **$7.70**



Christian Dior (below)

Hybrid Tea. (The House of Meilland) *Plant Pat. 1943.* Magnificent crimson-red overlaid with an iridescent scarlet combine with exquisite form to make Christian Dior an outstanding red rose. Buds are medium large, fat, but pointed and shapely. Vivid blooms of 50 to 60 petals are high-centered and very double. Bush is tall, vigorous and upright, producing fine cutting stems. Rich green foliage and a light tea fragrance accent a red rose noted for its long-lasting, non-bluing flowers.

$3 each—3 or more, $2.65 each.

Offer No. 10

CHRISTIAN DIOR
SUMMER SUNSHINE
PINK PEACE

$7.90

Pink Peace (right)

Hybrid Tea. (The House of Meilland) *Plant Pat. 1759.* A winner of major awards at Rome, Geneva, Madrid, Lyons and Paris, this deep, dusky-pink masterpiece is famous for its terrific size and continuous free bloom. The very shapely, robust buds open to huge, fully double flowers whose satiny loveliness is enhanced by curls and curves in the outer petal edges. The appeal of Pink Peace is rounded out by a tall-growing, disease-resistant plant whose vigor is enormous. Well-distributed, large leaves of forest green provide the perfect framing for the plant and blooms. Fragrance is strong and pleasing.

$2.75 each—3 or more, $2.40 each.

Summer Sunshine Hybrid Tea. (Swim) *Plant Pat. 2078.* This yellow rose is big, bold and solid. One of the yellowest, yellow roses we know of. The big classic Hybrid Tea buds open to a huge, gleaming burst of bloom, up to 5 inches across. Coming usually on good sized, single stems, Summer Sunshine is a fine rose for cutting. The strong, vigorous, semi-upright plant is medium tall, well branched and attractive. It's a good "front row" rose that will give you consistently large quantities of golden blooms all season long. An appealing, light fragrance lingers over the blooms, providing an enticing atmosphere.

$3.50 each—3 or more, $3.10 each.

Orange Flame (right)

Hybrid Tea. (House of Meilland) *Plant Pat. 2141.* Here's one of the most eye-catching colors ever introduced . . . a smoky orange-scarlet, flame-like and irresistibly attractive. Orange Flame's smoldering buds open to very large, very high-centered blooms with big, broad flaming petals which flare outwardly in perfect rose form. Bloom comes continuously on the plant, each one being held singly on a medium long stem. The plant is an upright, bushy grower with many branches and medium heavy canes. Foliage is large, glossy and rich green. Has a lovely Tea rose fragrance.

$2.75 each—3 or more, $2.40 each.

Candy Stripe (left)

Hybrid Tea. (McCummings) *Plant Pat. 2278.* Candy Stripe is a deep, dusky pink with stripes and streaks at random in off-white and light pink running through the inside of the petals just as shown in the illustration . . . a most unusual new rose that is as beautiful as it is different. A true sport of Pink Peace, this rose produces great quantities of big colorful blooms. The big, solid, but well-pointed buds open to 6-inch blooms containing 60 to 65 gaily striped petals. The plant itself is quite tall, standing strongly upright and has fine growing ability. The foliage is very striking, medium green with lighter green ribbing and covering the sturdy canes right up to the base of the flower. Candy Stripe is more than a good rose . . . its beauty is uniquely different.

$3 each—3 or more, $2.65 each.

Confidence (left)

Hybrid Tea. (House of Meilland) *Plant Pat. 1192.* One of the most rewarding roses you can have. Confidence is noted for the solid magnificence of its form. Its color is an intricate blend . . . of pastel peach tones . . . bright, light yellow at the base of the petals with a delicate shading of shrimp-pink at the petal edges, many times separated with a splash of luminous pearl-white. The long, streamlined buds open to high-centered, 5-inch blooms of exhibition quality. Confidence has a good sound plant, upright, bushy and solidly branched . . . a rose good enough to win the coveted "Most Beautiful Rose of France" award.

$2.50 each—3 or more, $2.20 each.

Tropicana

Hybrid Tea. (Tantau) *Plant Pat. 1969.* You seldom see a color as outstanding as this. It is bright, intense orange-red, not deep but full of a luminous intensity. This is a color that holds well, making Tropicana an unusually good cutting rose. Every cane bears one or more medium large, 4½ to 5-inch flowers each with a fine fragrance. Notable, too, is the well-branched, well-shaped bush that is covered with substantial shiny green foliage, decorative in its own right. A tall but bushy grower with good vigor and disease-resistance. One of the most popular All-America Award Winners.

$3.50 each—3 or more, $3.10 each.

Offer No. 14

CHRYSLER IMPERIAL
SWARTHMORE
TROPICANA

A $9.25 *Value* **$7.90**

Chrysler Imperial (below)

Hybrid Tea. (Lammerts) *Plant Pat. 1167.* A famous rose known and well-loved for its wonderful deep, rich red color and fine fragrance. The blooms are exceptionally large, very full and of good form and substance. They are high-centered with an interesting curl to the outer petals. This rose, with many years of proven ability to please, is a perennial winner at rose shows everywhere. The plant is strong, handsomely shaped and of medium height. A goodly amount of vigorous dark green foliage provides a most effective gown for a most glamorous rose.

$2.75 each—3 or more, $2.40 each.

Swarthmore (left)

Hybrid Tea. (House of Meilland) *Plant Pat. 2444.* Here is an unusually beautiful two-toned rose that has excellent high-centered form. This rose has the longest, largest bud of any rose we grow. Truly, an exhibition rose of exceptional quality. The blooms open crisp and clean, displaying its two tones of deep pink and of clear rose-red in a most effective manner. Each bloom with 45 to 55 petals and 4 to 5 inches across is produced on a long, sturdy stem which holds the bloom high. A very fine rose for cutting. The plant is quite tall but well balanced and attractively covered by bright green foliage. Has an exotic fragrance.

$3 each—3 or more, $2.65 each.

Lady Elgin

Hybrid Tea. (House of Meilland) *Plant Pat. 1469.* Beautiful, rich orange and apricot tones make Lady Elgin a rose you'll never tire of. It's a warm, inviting rose whose exhibition-type buds offer an unusual beauty. Buds open to large, solid blooms with 35 to 45 big, firm petals of fine texture. The distinctive color remains vivid throughout the bloom. Lady Elgin is a tall rose—strong and upright. The tall, handsome bush has substantial, sea-green foliage that highlights the rich color. A subtle, lovely perfume adds that final, "just right" touch to this most delightful rose.

$2.50 each—3 or more, $2.20 each.

Garden State (below)

Grandiflora. (House of Meilland) *Plant Pat. 2349.* This rose has an inviting, deep, cool pink color which keeps its crisp freshness even on the hottest days. The bud is classic and opens well, bursting into a large, solid bloom with 35 to 45 big petals of firm texture. Bloom comes usually singly on the long, strong stems, standing very high. This unusually tall rose with its long, heavy canes, classic shape, and fine holding qualities is indeed an exhibition rose. Foliage is a deep, glossy green, very thick and luxuriant. Fragrance is a light Tea.

$3 each—3 or more, $2.65 each.

Offer No. 17

LADY ELGIN
GARDEN STATE
OKLAHOMA
KING'S RANSOM
QUEEN ELIZABETH

See pages 18 & 19

$12.90

Queen Elizabeth

Grandiflora. (Lammerts) *Plant Pat. 1259.* An all-round, all-time favorite of the rose world. This excellent deep shell-pink rose is simply perfect in form, substance and color. Buds are medium length, opening into high-centered, beautifully shaped flowers that become cup-shaped as the bloom matures. Flowers are produced in great candelabras on long straight stems. An excellent rose for cutting. Large, glossy, very heavy leaves cover the tall, upright plant most effectively. Queen Elizabeth is foolproof; if you have one, you will want another.

$2.75 each—3 or more, $2.40 each.

Oklahoma (right)

Hybrid Tea. (Swim & Weeks) *Plant Pat. 2326.* Perhaps the nearest to black you've ever seen in a rose. It's an unusually beautiful deep, dark red, big and luxurious. The bud is medium long and full with black, curled-back edges shading into a velvet scarlet. The flowers are enormous, with 45 to 55 petals, each thick and velvety with excellent substance. The fully open flower is of superb exhibition form and keeps for many days both on the plant as well as cut. Oklahoma's fragrance is delightfully heady. The plant is medium tall, well-branched and covered with heavy shiny green foliage. Oklahoma has an overall air of luxuriant class—a fine specimen rose.

$3 each—3 or more, $2.65 each.

King's Ransom

Hybrid Tea. (Morey) *Plant Pat. 2103.* A big rose of gleaming golden yellow. King's Ransom produces a medium-size, oval bud, tightly curled. The bloom comes singly on the stem—big 5 to 6-inch, fully double, golden flowers with delightful high centers. The large shapely petals flare gracefully as the flower opens. The plant is medium tall, with good strong canes and stems. Foliage is adequate, a good shiny green on the upper side and a satiny, darker green on the undersides. King's Ransom has a nice lingering fragrance to add to its pleasure in the garden or in a bouquet.

$3.50 each—3 or more, $3.10 each.

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Offer No. 19

KING'S RANSOM
OKLAHOMA
QUEEN ELIZABETH

$7.95

War Dance (below)

Grandiflora. (Swim & Weeks) *Plant Pat. 2017.* A red-hot flaming rose of brilliant orange mixed with vivid scarlet. Quite dark in the tight, oval bud, War Dance erupts into a flaming, very double, high-centered flower. Blooms come one or several to the stem and have up to 40 petals. The plant is very stocky; large canes of medium height grow rather spreading, almost as broad as high. The foliage is exceptionally fine—deep copper-green forming a solid mass over the entire plant. War Dance is a rugged, dependable performer that creates a hot spot of color with just one plant . . . spectacular when in groups of two, three or more.

$2.75 each—3 or more, $2.40 each.

Mt. Shasta (above)

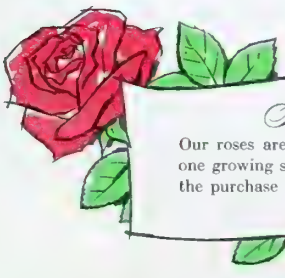
Grandiflora. (Swim & Weeks) *Plant Pat. 2132.* Here is a wonderful white rose. Enormous, long-pointed, gleaming white buds stand tall on their very long, strong stems. The huge, high-centered flowers are equally dramatic with their big, snow-white petals curling outward in a soft, billowy manner. With good holding qualities and exceptionally long stems, these flowers are perfect for cutting and arranging. The plant is vigorous, very tall and straight with solid, heavy canes that hold the big blooms upright under all conditions. The green-grey color in the large leaves is most appealing, as is the fine tea fragrance.

$3 each—3 or more, $2.65 each.

Offer No. 21

MOUNT SHASTA
SUMMER SUNSHINE (page 11)
WAR DANCE

A $9.25 *Value* **$7.95**



Star Rose® Guarantee

Our roses are guaranteed to grow and bloom as they should for one growing season. If they do not, we will replace them or refund the purchase price.

Crimson Duke Hybrid Tea. (House of Meilland) *Plant Pat. 2348.* This is a true, solid crimson-red rose, the color evenly laid with no other tones or shading. Its simplicity is striking and beautiful. The medium-sized buds are tulip-shaped and very full. They open slowly, forming a large, substantial bloom of 30 or more petals that flare out gracefully and with good texture. They are borne on sturdy canes, usually several to the stem. The plant grows medium to tall with good vigor and has large, thick, glossy green leaves covering the canes to the base of the bloom. Fragrance is light but distinctive.

$3 each—3 or more, $2.65 each.

Granada Hybrid Tea. (Lindquist) *Plant Pat. 2214.* A bicolor rose, brightly fluorescent in varying shades of scarlet, nasturtium-red and gleaming lemon-yellow. The long, urn-shaped buds and graceful blooms come abundantly on strong individual stems. The plant is medium tall and upright growing. This unusually bright rose is highlighted by very intense, very attractive dark green, holly-like foliage.

$3.50 each—3 or more, $3.10 each.

Offer No. 22

CRIMSON DUKE
GRANADA
VASSAR CENTENNIAL
GARDEN PARTY

$10.90

Vassar Centennial

Hybrid Tea. (House of Meilland) *Plant Pat. 2031.* This exhibition-type rose has great size and lovely apricot and peach coloring. The splendid, shapely, pointed buds open into giant-size blooms of 30 to 40 large, delicately curling petals. Vassar Centennial grows medium tall with good vigor. Blooms profusely. Flowers come one to the long stem, perfect for cutting, and there's a light touch of spicy fragrance.

$3 each—3 or more, $2.65 each.

Garden Party

Hybrid Tea. (Swim) *Plant Pat. 1814.* The sculptured blooms of this All-America winner are a soft, delicate combination of rich ivory in the center of the bloom, giving way to creamy tones and finally to a delicate flush of appleblossom-pink. In spite of its subdued tones, Garden Party is a dramatic rose with 25 to 30 large flaring petals—the blooms coming in succession on a tall, very strong plant. Handsome foliage provides the perfect background.

$3 each—3 or more, $2.65 each.

White Knight

Hybrid Tea. (House of Meilland) *Plant Pat. 1359.* A clean pure white that retains its color well. Its classic exhibition-type bud and bloom is lovely. The perfectly shaped buds open to large, white, satiny blooms up to 5 inches across, coming usually singly on strong stems. The bush grows with moderate vigor to about 3 feet, has solid dark green foliage with good disease-resistance.

$2.75 each—3 or more, $2.40 each.

Helen Traubel

Hybrid Tea. (Swim) *Plant Pat. 1028.* A distinctive and lovely blend of apricot and shell-pink. This is a well-formed rose in both bud and bloom. High-centered, it opens its 26 to 30 large, clean petals to a full-blown rose of good size. The stems are long, somewhat willowy and carried on a medium tall plant that often grows almost as broad as tall. Vigorous and hardy, it is a very free bloomer.

$3 each—3 or more, $2.65 each.

Love Song

Hybrid Tea. (Fisher) *Plant Pat. 1360.* Love Song is a bright creation of rich watermelon-pink and gleaming yellow. Its huge bud has excellent form and displays its two - toned beauty boldly. As many as 100 large petals form a very double, well-shaped flower of excellent substance. The exceptionally large and colorful blooms are carried on strong, upright stems. The plant is good, with moderate vigor and of medium height; very free-blooming; well covered with rich, waxy, deep green foliage. Good fragrance.

$2.50 each—3 or more, $2.20 each.

Allegro (below)

Hybrid Tea. (House of Meilland) *Plant Pat. 2358.* One of the new colors in roses—a gay orange-red with subdued traces of pink which become more pronounced as the bloom matures. The buds are full and round. The large, high-centered flowers are composed of 35 to 40 large, delicately ruffled petals and measure up to 5 full inches across. The plant is tall, up to 5 feet, with good strength and vigor. Good leathery, medium green leaves and a light Tea rose fragrance add to the value of this rose.

$2.75 each—3 or more, $2.40 each.

Offer No. 25

WHITE KNIGHT
HELEN TRAUBEL
LOVE SONG
ALLEGRO

An $11.00 *Value* **$9.65**

Suzon Lotthe Hybrid Tea. (House of Meilland) *Plant Pat. 934.* Soft pink shadings against cream-white. A large rose, it is made up of up to 90 petals of exceptionally smooth texture. The plant is heavy caned, medium height, vigorous and disease-resistant. Foliage is excellent; very large leaves.

$2.50 each—3 or more, $2.20 each.

Offer No. 26

BANZAI
JOHN S. ARMSTRONG
SUSPENSE
SUTTER'S GOLD
SUZON LOTTHE

A $14.25 *Value* **$11.95**

Suspense Hybrid Tea. (House of Meilland) *Plant Pat. 1944.* A different kind of rose with a different kind of beauty. The large, deep red and muted yellow buds open to exhibit the rich luminous quality of 55 to 60 velvety petals. Two-tone red on the upper side of the petals, tan-yellow on the underside. Forms a generous 6-inch flower. The plant is very tall growing, with long canes holding the blooms handsomely upright. Foliage is a good dark green.

$3 each—3 or more, $2.65 each.

John S. Armstrong

Grandiflora. (Swim) *Plant Pat. 2056.* A brilliant, deep velvety red—the darkest red Grandiflora. Medium-sized, oval buds open to a camellia-like bloom of 35 to 45 petals. Blooms come singly or in clusters, lasting long on the bush or in a bouquet. The plant is strong, shapely, upright and free branching. Dark glossy green foliage forms an interesting contrast with the reddish cast of the new growth, and covers the plant well.

$3.50 each—3 or more, $3.10 each.

Sutter's Gold

Hybrid Tea. (Swim) *Plant Pat. 885.* This fine All-America Award Selection is a delightful gold touched with flushes of pink or vermilion and copper. The bud is medium long, slender and well-pointed. Rich copper tones are displayed prominently as the bud unfurls. Blooms are medium large, 4 to 5 inches, of good substance and held firmly upright on strong stems. The plant is bushy, upright and well-branched. Leaves are large, waxy green, with better than average disease-resistance. Fragrance is rich and intense.

$2.75 each—3 or more, $2.40 each.

Banzai

Hybrid Tea. (House of Meilland) *Plant Pat. 2142.* This is a dramatic rose, very oriental in color and form. The color is bright raspberry with touches of cream on the reverse side of the petals. Lovely buds open slowly to urn-shaped solid blooms and finally into 4-inch, saucer-shaped flowers of excellent substance. The plant is low-growing, compact and beautifully branched. The blooms are arranged at various levels, several to a stem, forming a lovely mound-shaped plant. Foliage is small but abundant and a dark, rich green.

$2.50 each—3 or more, $2.20 each.

President Eisenhower

Hybrid Tea. (Hill) *Plant Pat. 1217.* A very bright red rose which has a special dark sheen or luster which adds a wonderfully rich, attractive quality to the bud and bloom. The bud is especially attractive—big and full and very bright, opening into a very solid bloom of 40 velvety-textured petals. Blooms are shapely, with a strong fragrance; sturdy canes hold them upright, one to the stem. This rose grows relatively low with rich, dark green foliage setting off the bright red blooms perfectly.

$2.50 each—3 or more, $2.20 each.

Montezuma

Grandiflora. (Swim) *Plant Pat. 1383.* Typifies the true Grandiflora with its wonderful Hybrid Tea-like blooms and its plentiful supply of flowers. This is a brilliant rosy salmon color that holds well. The bud is rather short but shapely . . . very attractive in itself. Blooms are high-centered, composed of 40 petals, and come on medium long, strong stems. This is a tall rose growing up to 5 feet; it is bushy, almost as wide as tall and well branched. Foliage is dense, medium sized, of a semi-glossy, very appealing light green.

$3 each—3 or more, $2.65 each.

Mojave

Hybrid Tea. (Swim) *Plant Pat. 1176.* Mojave is a light coppery red, almost an orange. The graceful flaming buds are long, more urn-shaped than pointed. The high - centered blooms are of good substance, 4 to 4½ inches in width. The plant is tall, vigorous, upright, free-blooming, with healthy strong canes that grow to medium height. Very few thorns. The foliage is attractive, large, forest-green in color; a very complimentary background for richly colored, richly perfumed beauty.

$2.75 each—3 or more, $2.40 each.

Other Star Rose Favorites (not pictured)

CARROUSEL. Grandiflora. (Duehrsen) *Plant Pat. 1066.* Rich, non-fading garnet-red. Substantial flowers come one to the stem or in massive clusters on a strong 3-foot plant. A very showy rose.

$2.50 each—3 or more, $2.20 each.

DR. DEBAT. Hybrid Tea. (The House of Meilland) *Plant Pat. 961.* A fine clear pink with huge 6-inch blooms of excellent form. Unusually long pointed buds. Flowers come plentifully on a tall, vigorous plant.

$2.50 each—3 or more, $2.20 each.

INVITATION. Hybrid Tea. (Swim & Weeks) *Plant Pat. 2018.* A rich salmon-pink rose noted for its fragrance and continuous bloom. Large, 5-inch bloom holds well. Plant is exceptionally strong and vigorous with good proportions.

$2.50 each—3 or more, $2.20 each.

LUCKY PIECE. Hybrid Tea. (Gordon) *Plant Pat. 1948.* Delightfully blended hues of gold, cream and pink make the huge, 6-inch blooms of this rose amazingly striking. Fine fragrance, big, healthy foliage, and strong canes and vigor. An exceptional rose.

$2.50 each—3 or more, $2.20 each.

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The Baker's Dozen

This Baker's Dozen Offer has been one of our most popular selections for many years. Our customers like it because it gives them an easy and reliable introduction to the wonderful world of roses. The Baker's Dozen includes 13 (each and every one different) of the finest, more popular kinds of Hybrid Tea Roses—all tried and proven roses that will do well with a minimum of care. All are 2-year-old, field-grown, No. 1 Grade Star Roses and every one guaranteed to grow and bloom.

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BETTY UPRICHARD. Pearl-pink. (Described p. 34)

CHRISTOPHER STONE. Rich scarlet-crimson. (Described p. 34)

CONDESA DE SASTAGO. Golden yellow and rosy scarlet. (Described p. 34)

CRIMSON GLORY. Rich crimson, very fragrant. (Described p. 30)

DUQUESA DE PENARANDA. Copper-apricot. (Described p. 34)

ECLIPSE. Fine yellow. Excellent buds. (Described p. 31)

LOWELL THOMAS. Lemon-chrome-yellow. (Described p. 34)

MME. HENRI GUILLOT. Rose-flame. (Described p. 35)

PICTURE. Velvety, clear rose-pink. (Described p. 35)

PRES. HERBERT HOOVER. Scarlet, pink, flame and yellow hues. (Described p. 35)

RADIANCE. Cameo-pink; tall, fragrant. (Described p. 35)

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Hybrid Tea. (Kordes) An older rose with a tremendous reputation, even today, for its beauty, color and strong fragrance. The lovely, dark red, fat but pointed buds open to large double blooms with good substance. Crimson Glory blooms freely on a very strong but low-growing plant with many branches. Foliage is large, very full and of a good, clean, dark green color.

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THE CLASSIC THREE

BLANCHE MALLERIN
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Peace (left)

Hybrid Tea. (House of Meilland) For years, this has been the standard by which other roses have been judged. Golden yellow with flushes of pink at the petal edges. Tones vary as the flower opens. Huge buds and blooms—enormously vigorous plant—thick canes—the richest of rose foliage. The most highly rated rose, and the winner of most rose awards.

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Blanche Mallerin

Hybrid Tea. (Mallerin) Streamlined buds open to beautifully modeled blooms of pure satiny white. The upright, tall, vigorous plant bears them freely—each flower a 4-inch, fragrant beauty with outstanding appeal. Blanche Mallerin holds an honored place among the world's great white roses—still claims the admiration of every gardener who knows its rare charm. A fitting companion for Peace and Mirandy.

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Mirandy (left)

Hybrid Tea. (Lammerts) Famed for its high-centered form, the richness of its deep wine-red color and the magic of its intriguing perfume, Mirandy has long held a favored place in America's gardens. The plant is vigorous—a steady producer of flowers that never fail to impress and delight all who see them. Grows to medium height. Good semi-glossy, dark green foliage.

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Each year, Star Roses and other rose growers introduce several new kinds . . . the new models, so-to-speak. And, of course, as the years pass, some of these new kinds, many of them All-America Rose Selections, become "Old Favorites." On this page you will find a collection of the "all-time" old favorites . . . roses that have kept their popularity through the years because of their ability to please . . . because they are tops in color, vigor, fragrance and fine, constant bloom.

BETTY UPRICHARD. Hybrid Tea. (Dickson) Pearl-pink favorite. Large, fragrant flowers. Long pointed buds. Medium height.

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CHARLOTTE ARMSTRONG. Hybrid Tea. (Lammerts) A most pleasing rose-red color; long, slender buds and graceful flowers come abundantly on long stems. Plant is tall, vigorous.

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CHRISTOPHER STONE. Hybrid Tea. (Robinson) Rich scarlet-crimson with good fragrance. Long, pointed buds and large, attractive, double blooms. Dependable, low-growing plant.

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CONDESA DE SASTAGO. Hybrid Tea. (Dot) A very lovely yellow and rosy scarlet. Oval buds and large, fragrant, double blooms. Vigorous, medium tall growing.

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DUQUESA DE PENARANDA. Hybrid Tea. (Dot) A copper-apricot-pink. Good pointed bud, large, cup-shaped, fragrant bloom. Long stems. Handsome, upright, medium height plant.

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LOWELL THOMAS. Hybrid Tea. (Mallerin) Rich, unfading, deep yellow rose with nicely modeled bud and bloom. Solid, vigorous, upright plant. Strong stems and good foliage.

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A COMPLETE ROSE GARDEN

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CRIMSON GLORY—(See page 30)
CHRISTOPHER STONE
CONDESA DE SASTAGO
BLANCHE MALLERIN—(See page 33)
BETTY UPRICHARD
PEACE—(See page 33)

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MME. COCHET-COCHET. Hybrid Tea. (Mallerin) Lovely salmon-pink with fine form and honey fragrance. Very long bud. Medium height, vigorous plant.

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MRS. P. S. DU PONT. Hybrid Tea. (Mallerin) Profuse blooming. Large, golden yellow, fragrant flowers. Long pointed buds. Low-growing, bushy plant.

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PICTURE. Hybrid Tea. (McGredy) Velvety rose-pink with nice high-centered form. Slightly fragrant. Moderately tall grower. Good foliage.

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PRES. HERBERT HOOVER. Hybrid Tea. (Coddington) Bright multicolor of scarlet, pink, flame and yellow. Large, fragrant flowers. Tall, vigorous grower. Long stems.

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RADIANCE. Hybrid Tea. (Cook) Cameo-pink blooms. Oval bud and cup-shaped bloom. Long stems. Tall grower, very vigorous; a foolproof rose. Excellent fragrance.

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SOEUR THERESE. Hybrid Tea. (Gillot) Buttercup-yellow, well-formed blooms. Slightly fragrant. Very vigorous, bushy plant. Bronze tinge on foliage. Medium height.

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Floribunda. (Boerner) *Plant Pat. App. For.* This new All-America Floribunda is an exceptional rose in all respects—color, form and vigor. It's a gay dancing flower with rich, delightful, haunting old-fashioned fragrance. The color is especially beautiful—a lovely, rich apricot. Firm buds open into airy, graceful flowers with swirling frilled petals. The heart of the bud is a gentle apricot which lightens as the flower opens but holds the color well until the petals drop. Flowers are 4 to 5 inches across, are firm, and keep very well when cut. Foliage is bright green, very clean and covers the plant from the ground up. This rose will amaze you with its vigor and growth. The plant is sturdy, medium tall and very well branched. Apricot Nectar will produce a profusion of bloom all season long. It is a very rewarding rose.

$3 each—3 or more, $2.65 each.

Fire King (right)

Floribunda. (The House of Meilland) *Plant Pat. 1758.* The color of this rose is gorgeously displayed from beautiful deep red pointed buds through profuse blooms of the most glamorous, brilliant orange-red, much brighter than the picture here indicates. Long-lasting 3-inch flowers of up to 50 petals . . . fine, lusty, upright, tall plant . . . unusual rich, deep green foliage. Upright growing. Makes a splendid hedge; great in groups of three or more.

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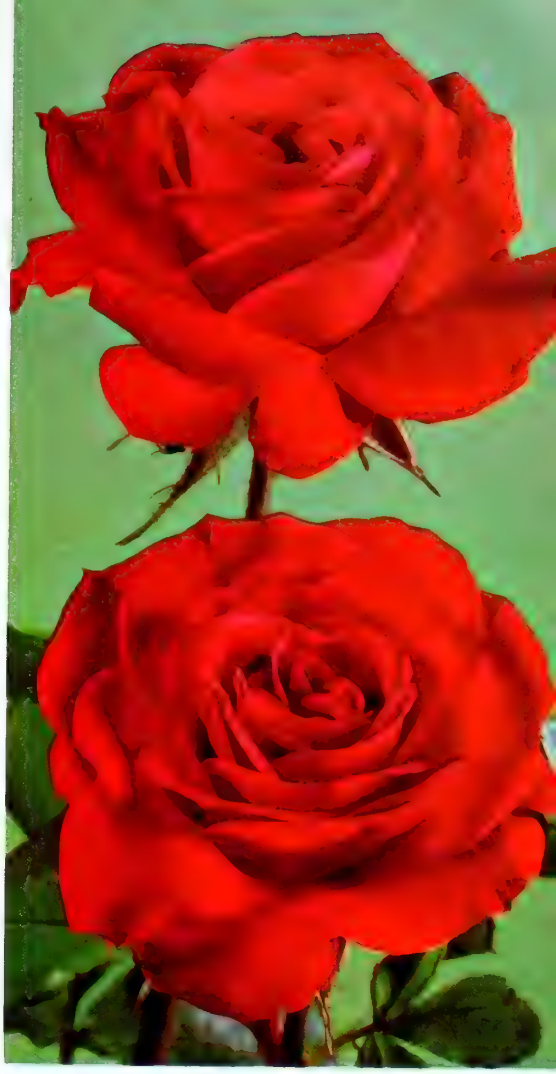

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FIRE KING
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NEW FOR 1966

Sunspot (left)

Floribunda. (Fisher) *Plant Pat. App. For.* A clear bright sunshine-yellow. From rich butter-yellow buds, the large, double flowers open to a bright, sunny yellow that matures to a rich cream. Blooms are often up to 5 inches across, fully as large as many Hybrid Teas. Flowers are borne in great profusion, the graceful yellow blooms literally covering the entire plant. Plant is of good vigor, growing upright, but at the same time mound-shaped, adding to the overall charm of this most delightful rose. Foliage is light green, well-ribbed and plentiful. Bush grows to medium height.

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Saratoga (right)

Floribunda. (Boerner) *Plant Pat. 2299.* Pure white, gardenia-like flowers. The well-formed buds are cream-colored and open to exceptionally large white blooms up to 4½ inches across. Blooms almost continuously. Rich fragrance. Plant reaches 2½ to 3 feet in height and has fine, glossy green foliage.

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Rumba (left)

Floribunda. (Poulsen) *Plant Pat. 1919.* A riot of poppy-red and pure gold. Rumba is a gay, charming rose with solid blooms just 2 to 2½ inches wide. Flowers are double, well-formed, with 25 to 35 shiny petals. Bloom comes in mounded clusters on medium stems. Its very long-lasting quality makes this rose excellent for cutting. A medium-height grower, the plant is almost as wide as it is tall, with lavish green foliage. Very sturdy and disease-resistant. A gem of a rose.

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Polka (right)

Floribunda. (The House of Meilland) *Plant Pat. 1939.* A lively, dancing pink - pink, very showy. Cup-shaped buds open to 3½-inch blooms with 40 to 45 velvety-textured petals, high-centered at first, becoming flat-open as the bloom matures. Plant is of medium height with a dense, bushy, and well-balanced growth habit. Good, strong, very free-blooming with a nice Tea rose fragrance.

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POLKA
RUMBA
SARATOGA
ZAMBRA

$8.55

Zambra (right)

Floribunda. (The House of Meilland) *Plant Pat. 2140.* This is a real bright, peppy orange color, with just a hint of red. The bud and open flower are perfectly formed, with flowers coming several to the stem. The foliage is leathery and refreshing ivy-green. The medium-height plant is bushy, vigorous and hardy. This dazzling beauty with its light, sweetbrier fragrance has won medals at the famed Bagatelle competition in Paris, and the Certificate of Merit at trials in Lyon and England.

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Fashion

Floribunda. (Boerner) *Plant Pat. 789.* A classic—one of the most beautiful of the Floribundas. Its color is a distinctive, very pleasing soft coral-peach-pink combination. Solid, oval, deep peach buds open to 3 to 3½-inch blooms. Quite fragrant. Plant grows to 2½ or 3 feet, well foliaged, hardy and vigorous.

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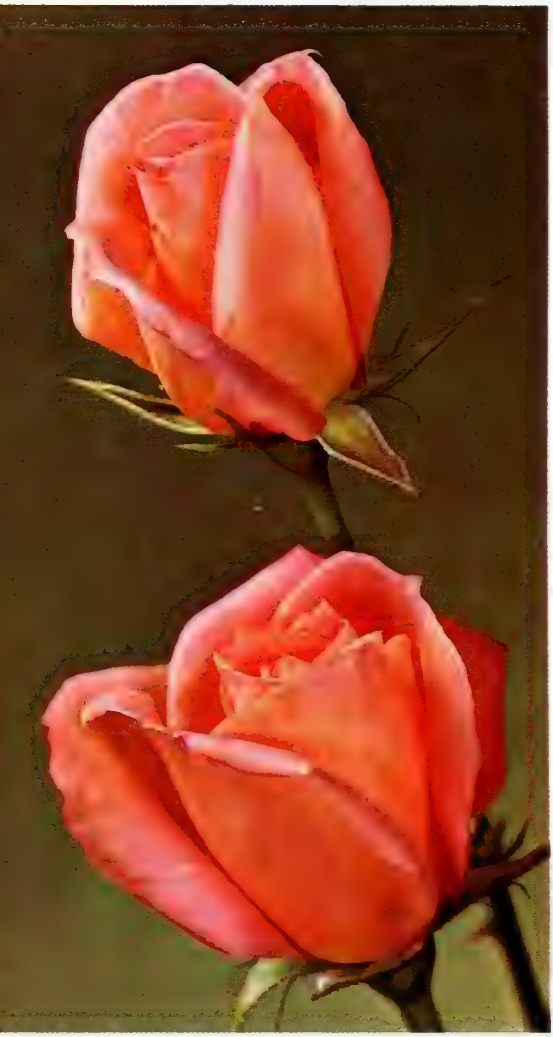

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CIRCUS
FASHION
LAVENDER GIRL
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Lavender Girl

Floribunda. (The House of Meilland) *Plant Pat. 1672.* Here is an unfading lavender with real depth of color. The urn-shaped, ruby-red buds open to the loveliest of rich deep lavenders. The blooms are well-formed, very double and solid, measuring up to 3½ inches. The low, bushy plant bears the vibrant blooms on medium stems. Dark green foliage is medium sized, with a firm, leathery texture.

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Circus

Floribunda. (Swim) *Plant Pat. 1382.* Red, yellow, pink and orange colors mixed in wonderful abandon make this a most unusual rose. Good, middle-height plant bears the 2½ to 3-inch blooms in profusion. Flowers are high-centered, with 45 to 55 petals. Bushy, well-branched plant makes an excellent colorful hedge.

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Sarabande

Floribunda. (The House of Meilland) *Plant Pat. 1761.* This rose won 8 international awards, including All-America Rose. The color is an outstanding, iridescent oriental-red—a bright orange-red further enhanced with clear yellow stamens. The low, compact bush is well-branched, with dense foliage of an attractive bright green. Masses of these brilliant flowers come in clusters of 12 to 15 large-petaled blooms. This rose, too, makes a brilliant hedge or a sparkling display when planted in groups of two's or three's or more.

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Other Selected Floribundas

FLORADORA. Floribunda. (Tantau) Bright, lively geranium-red with medium-size, 50-petaled flowers of good form that come in sprays of 6 to 12 to make a massive and impressive display. Vigorous, medium-tall, upright plant.

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SNOW FAIRY. Floribunda. (Camprubi) *Plant Pat. 2376.* Blooms are pure white, opening from small, shapely buds to well-formed, medium-sized blooms. The plant is compact, excellently shaped and grows medium tall. Fragrance is pleasant.

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SPARTAN. Floribunda. (Boerner) *Plant Pat. 1357.* A beautiful clear coral color, very bright. Blooms are double, 3 to 3½ inches when open from the solid well-formed bud. Clusters of flowers come all season long on a strong, tall plant. Lovely fragrance.

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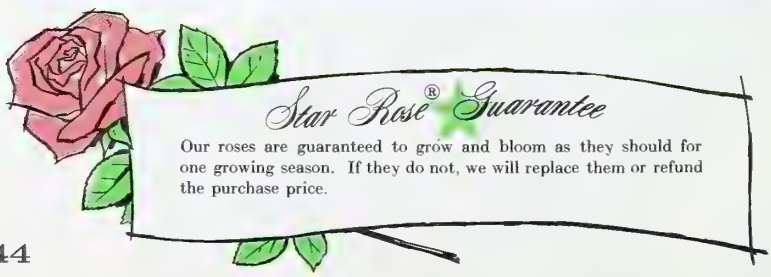

SCARLET GEM CINDERELLA

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RED IMP (not illustrated) (deVink) *Plant Pat. 1032.* Deep, unfading crimson with excellent bud and flower form. Up to 60 petals. One of the finest, most popular reds.

BABY GOLD STAR (not illustrated) (Dot) Slightly larger flower than other Miniatures . . . a golden beauty with nicely formed buds and blooms. The finest yellow.

BO-PEEP (not illustrated) (deVink) *Plant Pat. 976.* Dainty double blooms in arbutus-pink. Delightful form and color. Makes lovely miniature bouquets.

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BABY GOLD STAR
BO-PEEP
CINDERELLA
RED IMP
SCARLET GEM

$6.50

Climbing Crimson Glory

(Repeat Blooming) (A. Naungayan) Rose growers everywhere have known and loved this beautiful bright red climber for many years. The flowers are like the regular Hybrid Tea bush (see page 31) and are large, well-formed and exciting. They have a very intense, pleasing fragrance. Plant is strong, vigorous and well-foliaged.

$2.75 each—3 or more, $2.40 each.

Golden Showers

(Everblooming) (Lammerts) *Plant Pat. 1557.* The finest yellow climber because it is so free-blooming. This All-America Winner produces beautiful 5-inch blooms of solid daffodil-yellow. Many the first year and literally covers itself with bloom in the seasons thereafter. The plant is amazingly vigorous—so strong and thick are the canes that the plant will almost stand by itself.

$2.75 each—3 or more, $2.40 each.

Red Empress

(Everblooming) (Mallerin) *Plant Pat. 1573.* An excellent climbing rose with vivid, rich red blooms. They are big as well as bright, reaching 5 inches across. They come plentifully, with good fragrance and have excellent shape and substance, like Hybrid Teas. This is a consistently good rose with upright canes of good vigor.

$2.50 each—3 or more, $2.20 each.

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Clair Matin

(Everblooming) (House of Meilland) *Plant Pat. 2186.* This climber provides a massive abundance of flowers in clusters—each rose a 3-inch semi-double pink jewel; dozens of them to the stem. They have a delightful fragrance of sweetbrier. The plant itself is so strong that if left unsupported, the rugged canes will arch upwards and stand alone. Extra hardy and extra vigorous, Clair Matin blooms continuously, has some flowers the first year and is beautifully foliaged and densely covered. The man in the picture is S. B. Hutton, Jr., President of Star Roses. He's 6 feet tall, which will give you some idea of the great height of this great climber.

$3 each—3 or more, $2.65 each.

CLAIR MATIN

Offer No. 47

CLAIR MATIN
CL. CRIMSON GLORY
CL. PEACE
BLOSSOMTIME
GOLDEN SHOWERS
RED EMPRESS

A $16.00 *Value* **$13.90**

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Blaze

(Improved—Repeat Climbing) (Kallay) This is the brilliant red seen everywhere on fences, porches, trellises and arbors. This improved strain now gives you colorful masses of flowers in June and again in fall, with some flowers in between. The bush is hardy and enormously vigorous, producing long, willowy canes which are easily trained. Bloom is medium size, 2 to 3 inches across, semi-double and slightly fragrant. Dark leathery foliage. This rose is extremely vigorous, grows like mad, but a touch of pruning will keep it where you want it.

$2 each—3 or more, $1.75 each.

City of York

(Tantau) BACK BY POPULAR DEMAND.
Because we've had so many requests for this "best of the white climbers" we are again making it available to America's gardeners. First, you must realize that the City of York is *not* a repeat bloomer. However, in the spring this fine rose is a solid mass of lovely, very fragrant, creamy white blooms. Flowers are semi-double, measure 3 inches across and are nicely cupped. The foliage is excellent, a dark glossy green. The plant is very vigorous and trouble free. This rose has been awarded the top honor of the American Rose Society Gold Medal, the only climber to be so honored.

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Offer No. 48

BLAZE
CITY OF YORK
NEW DAWN

$5.25

NEW DAWN

New Dawn

(Everblooming) (Somerset Rose Nurs.) The soft, lovely, blush-pink blooms of this rose are 3 to 4 inches across and come in huge clusters. This climber is a rampant grower and needs plenty of room. The canes go up and out 12 to 20 feet. The plant is very hardy, the canes unusually strong. An absolutely dependable and foolproof climber that is everblooming.

$2 each—3 or more, $1.75 each.

Blossomtime (not pictured)

(Everblooming) (O'Neal) *Plant Pat. 1240.* This is a fine climber with two-toned pink flowers that come in profusion—one of the most continuous blooming of all climbers. Perfectly formed bud and bloom, double and with a pleasant fragrance. Medium-height plant.

$2.50 each—3 or more, $2.20 each.

Climbing Peace (not pictured)

(Repeat Bloomer) (House of Meilland) *Plant Pat. 932.* Has splendid yellow and pink-tinged flowers just like the famous Hybrid Tea (see page 32). Up to 7-inch gorgeous blooms. Needs plenty of room to grow in and don't expect a great many flowers until the plant is well established—2 to 3 years.

$2.50 each—3 or more, $2.20 each.

Coral Dawn (not pictured)

(Everblooming) (Boerner) *Plant Pat. 1117.* Coral is one of the most intriguing of all rose colors. There is a soft beauty about this coral-pink climber that makes it outstanding. The colorful 4½-inch flowers cover the bush in clusters of from 3 to 20 and open from dainty pointed buds. A very vigorous plant with lustrous foliage.

$2.75 each—3 or more, $2.40 each.

White Dawn (not pictured)

(Longley) Though this is perhaps one of the best white repeat-blooming climbers, it is rather shy on bloom. It is a medium grower, with good canes and foliage. Blooms are pure white, semi-double and come in clusters.

$2 each—3 or more, $1.75 each.

The Fairy

(Bentall) If you are not familiar with The Fairy, you have a real treat in store! An absolutely foolproof plant, it has almost every good quality. Planted alone it is a beautiful 3 to 4-foot shrub that bears hundreds of appealing, seashell-pink flowers and makes an excellent individual lawn specimen. Planted in a row it is a colorful hedge. Grows vigorously and will eventually be as broad as it is high. It will provide blooms all season long, something most flowering shrubs will not give you. Its foliage is similar to boxwood—small, shiny and beautifully green. The Fairy is so vigorous and hardy that it will flourish most anywhere, even in partial shade. It needs no special soil preparation and very little spray or dust, as it is resistant to disease and insects. The delightful little flowers make attractive bouquets; hold up well indoors. For trouble-free beauty, The Fairy can't be beat when used as a hedge along property lines, around a pool, patio or almost anywhere.

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Offer No. 50

OTTO LINNE
SEA FOAM
THE FAIRY

$5.95

Otto Linne

(Lambert) A rose we've had the pleasure to bring back from obscurity, and our own enthusiasm has been more than matched by appreciative gardeners. Otto Linne grows to about 3 to 4 feet, its strong canes carrying enormous trusses of deep rose-pink flowers. Foliage is a light, clear green color, glossy and very full. Plant is exceptionally vigorous, grows upward and arches out gracefully. One truss of flowers makes a whole bouquet. It too, is a carefree, disease-resistant rose.

$2 each—3 or more, $1.75 each.

Sea Foam Hybrid Shrub Rose (Ernest Schwartz) *Plant Pat. 2463.* Brand new—and one of the most adaptable, most remarkable and most useful roses of all time. It is unique. The bloom, first of all, is very beautiful in itself. The small, well-formed, pointed buds open to 2 to 3-inch double blooms of pure white that ages gradually to a delicate, lovely cream color. Sometimes in cool weather, the edges of the petals are tinged with pink. This is a "carefree" rose requiring no special attention, for it is tough, hardy, vigorous and almost completely free of any disease. You simply plant it and forget it—except to admire its beauty all season long. Sea Foam grows 2 to 3 feet high and as many feet wide. The blooms come continuously all season in foam-like clusters on a sea of green. There is also an intriguing fragrance of spice. Sea Foam's use is limited only to your imagination. Use it as a specimen plant in a featured spot; as a border or a broad low hedge; tied to a trellis or fence it makes a fine white pillar; perfect for ground cover in sunny locations or on a bank. You can even plant it at the top of a wall, draping over, to make a graceful weeping rose. There's just no end to the uses or beauty of Sea Foam.

$3 each—3 or more, $2.65 each.

Pillar of Fire (not pictured)

(Shamburger) *Plant Pat. 2329.* Here is a very tall-growing shrub or pillar rose that is superb as an individual accent plant on the lawn and/or is also dramatic in a row in the background or as a tall hedge. Pillar of Fire grows to 8 feet or more and is always bright with vivid flowers of a sparkling coral-red. Blooms come in clusters from top to bottom of the plant, forming, in effect, a pillar of fire. It is strong enough to stand alone or can be easily trained as a climbing rose.

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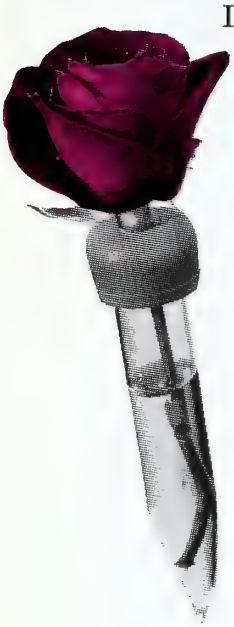

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Royal Gold

Just like the well-known Regal Lily but a golden yellow color. A perfect lily for the garden or show. Stems fully 5 feet tall, each with many large flowers. Plant has strong stems and fine foliage. Likes sunshine. Flowers have shiny, glistening surface. July blooming.

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AURELIAN HYBRIDS

LILIES of the

Lily Culture. Lilies take a location in the sun and with air around them; they don't like competition with trees and shrubs; they must have, above all, a well-drained soil. Set them in the ground with 4 inches of soil above them. Planting distance between bulbs should be at least 8 inches. For best effect, lilies ought to be planted in groups of 3 or more. Blooming time given here is for fall-planted bulbs in Eastern Pennsylvania. Farther south, it would be earlier and north a little later. We will ship your bulbs at the proper time for planting them in your area.

Aurelian Hybrids A most beautiful group of lilies—all of true hybrid origin. These lilies offer new colors, with broader petals and often more trumpet-like habit. Come in mixed colors only, as illustrated. Late July flowers. They stand 3 to 6 feet tall.

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Harmony One of the finest of the Mid-Century Hybrids. Flowers in June. Very rich, bright orange. Flowers very long-lasting and ideal for floral arrangements. 2 to 3 feet in height.

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9 YELLOW LILIES

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GOLDEN CLARION
ROYAL GOLD (See page 53)
CROESUS (See page 57)

3 each **$7.95**

HARMONY

BLACK MAGIC

Aristocrats Garden

CINNABAR

Cinnabar A strong-stemmed, vivid maroon-red, upright-flowering Mid-Century Hybrid. The flowers are borne on long pedicels, are well-spaced and their maroon-red color glows in the sun. Plant in light shade or full sun. June flowering. Three to 4 feet tall.

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Black Magic A magnificent trumpet lily. The inside of the flower is of purest white; the outside is a rich purple-brown, margined pure white. Plant has amazing vigor; stands fully 6 feet high. Bears dozens or more huge flowers in a perfect candelabra. July flowering.

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Golden Clarion A golden yellow trumpet lily, the result of crossing the well-known Chinese lily, Henryi, with the best of the Olympic Strain. The color of these lilies is remarkably fade-proof and is at its best when planted in slightly filtered sunlight. 3 to 6 feet. July blooming.

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ALL SUMMER LONG

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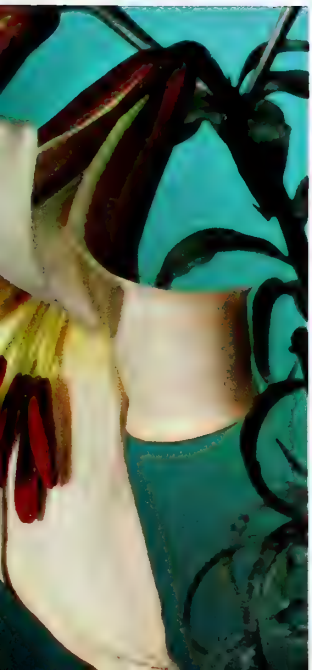
CROESUS	(June blooming)
CINNABAR	(June blooming)
REGAL	(June blooming)
PINK PERFECTION	(July blooming)
ROYAL GOLD	(July blooming)
BLACK MAGIC	(July-August blooming)
IMPERIAL CRIMSON HYBRIDS	(August blooming)

3 each (21 bulbs) **$17.00**

GOLDEN CLARION



Regal

This is the most widely known of all the large trumpet lilies. Regal's pure white color touched with wine stains on the reverse side keeps it a favorite. The plant reaches 3 to 5 feet and produces its blooms late in June on long, straight stems. A favorite of thousands for many years.

3 for $2.

REGAL

Imperial Crimson Hybrids

This new, exciting August-flowering hybrid strain is a crimson interspersed with dashes of white to give a very striking effect. Intense, non-fading color gives the flower an exotic look, yet it is fully hardy and disease-resistant. The flower measures 8 inches in diameter, is carried well away from the stems on strong pedicels and the stems are strong and well furnished with large leaves.

3 for $3.50.

IMPERIAL CRIMSON HYBRIDS

Offer No. 56

3 REGAL
3 GREEN MAGIC
3 BLACK MAGIC

$5.90

GREEN MAGIC HYBRIDS

Green Magic Hybrids

Flowers are a cool white color with a flush or overlay of emerald - green. This lily of classic form will grow from 4 to 6 feet tall and is extremely vigorous with very stout stems. July flowering.

3 for $2.50.

Croesus

A new Mid-Century Hybrid, tall, cool golden yellow with just enough delicately brown spots on the petals to afford a beautiful contrast. Croesus opens as many as six large flowers at one time. Carried on stems 3 to 4 feet tall, they face upward. June flowering.

3 for $2.50.

CROESUS

INK PERFECTION HYBRIDS

Pink Perfection Hybrids

An indescribably beautiful flower. A robust giant trumpet lily in fuchsia to rose-pink, with wonderfully large flowers. They do best in filtered sunlight. Strong stems. 5 to 7 feet. July flowering.

3 for $3.

UNUSUAL *African Amaryllis*

So easy to have huge, 7-inch, flaming blooms from this Hybrid Amaryllis, even a child can do it. Comes to you already growing in a pot. Nothing more for you to do other than water occasionally. The most rewarding winter-blooming plant you've ever seen.

TREMENDOUS BLOOMS, YEAR AFTER YEAR

Huge, brilliantly striking, up to 7 inches across . . . this is what you get with no trouble at all from these wonderful African Amaryllis. Plant grows to about 18 inches high, producing heavy stalks each bearing 3 or 4 or 5 huge, 7-inch exotic blooms. This Amaryllis flowers easily in fall or winter, because these special bulbs are grown in South Africa where the long season produces the finest bulbs.

DEAR CUSTOMERS:

I am pleased that we are able to offer Amaryllis to you this year, particularly these fine hybrid varieties. Several years ago, while searching for a good flowering plant which I could enjoy growing during the winter months, when roses are not in bloom, I purchased several of these special bulbs from friends in Europe and later discovered the African strain to be one of the most rewarding plants I have ever known. In fact, I'm afraid I've gotten to the point of having the Amaryllis bug, for my collection has now grown to over 100 and I keep them year after year. I especially like them for their ability to bloom with so very little care and attention. I have found that about ¾ of the time the bulbs will produce two-bloom stalks at different times. I suggest that you try one or more of these choice African Amaryllis. I'm sure you will find them to be as satisfying as I have.

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WILL BLOOM ANY TIME AFTER THANKSGIVING

One of the wonderful things about this gorgeous flowering bulb is that you can force it into bloom just about any time after Thanksgiving. You can have these beautiful blooms for Christmas as well as during the dreary months of January, February or March. It takes these bulbs only from 4 to 7 weeks to flower, so you can plan your bloom time accordingly. Remember, these are not just "once-and-done" flowering bulbs. With proper care, these bulbs will provide you with these huge, brilliant blooms year after year. Complete growing and handling instructions shipped with each bulb.

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If you want to send your friends a truly worthwhile gift, send them one or several of these magnificent African Amaryllis for Christmas or any other special occasion. They'll be pleased with this exciting and long-lasting remembrance of your thoughtfulness. These bulbs make interesting plants for children, too, because they're easy to grow and so rewarding to have. Imagine the thrill your son or daughter will get from showing off this exotic flower to his or her friends—a rare, colorful plant that they have grown themselves.

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We offer here the two easiest-to-grow colors which will also produce the most blooms. Order separately or mixed in any quantities you wish, and please state when you would like shipment. Your bulbs will be sent whenever you wish between October 1 and March 1.

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Hybrid Tea. (Swim & Weeks) *Plant Pat. 2032.* The freshest of fine, clear, light pink coloring, and exceptionally pleasing perfume give Royal Highness enormous appeal. Perfectly formed buds and blooms in the high-centered classic rose tradition are held individually on long, clean, strong stems. Good, well-proportioned, middle-height plant with rich, dark, shiny foliage.

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ALL-AMERICA OFFER

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